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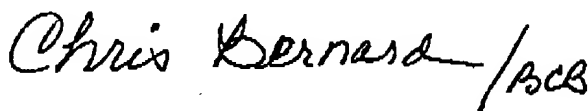
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| 09/550,649        | Jarod Guertin et al. | 04/17/2000         | Method of Testing Bit Error Rates For A Wavelength Division Multiplexed Optical Communication System |

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| Application Number     | 09/550,649    |
| Filing Date            | 04/17/2000    |
| First Named Inventor   | Jafod Guertin |
| Art Unit               |               |
| Examiner Name          |               |
| Attorney Docket Number | 10.0029       |

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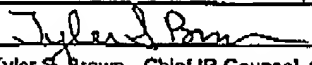
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Jared Guertin et al.Application No./Patent No.: 09/550,649 Filed/Issue Date: 04/17/2000Entitled: Method of Testing Bit Error Rates For A Wavelength  
DIVISION MULTIPLEXED OPTICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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